Fiscal Estimate - 2011 Session

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LRB Number 11-3904/1	Introduction Number AB-0542					
Description The definition of municipality for purposes of tax refund setoffs						
Fiscal Effect						
Appropriations Reve	ease Existing to absorb within agency's budget					
No Local Government Costs ☐ Indeterminate 1. ☐ Increase Costs ☐ Permissive ☐ Mandatory 2. ☐ Decrease Costs ☐ Permissive ☐ Mandatory ☐ Permissive ☐ Mandatory ☐ Permissive ☐ Mandatory ☐ Permissive ☐ Mandatory ☐ Decrease Revenue ☐ Counties ☐ Others ☐ School ☐ WTCS ☐ Districts ☐ Districts						
Fund Sources Affected GPR FED PRO PRS SEG SEGS						
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Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

Under current law, the Department of Revenue is authorized to intercept tax refunds in order to collect certain debts owed to counties and municipalities. The department collects the debt by subtracting the debt amount from any tax refund owed to the debtor.

This bill modifies the definition of a municipality in order to clarify that municipalities do not include private organizations. This will ensure debts owed to non-governmental organizations are not submitted for tax revenue interception.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications